

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 EXPEDITED EXAMINING PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 1733 PATENT APPLICATION Q82273

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 13, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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